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Note verbale dated 12 September 2000 from the Permanent Mission of Luxembourg to the United Nations addressed to the Chairman of the Committee

The Permanent Representative of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1132 (1997) concerning Sierra Leone and, referring to his note verbale of 10 July 2000, has the honour to inform him of the measures taken by the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg to give effect to the provisions of Security Council resolutions 1306 (2000) and 1171 (1998).

On 3 August 2000, the European Union adopted Regulation No. 1745/2000 prohibiting, in accordance with Security Council resolution 1306 (2000), the import of rough diamonds from Sierra Leone to the countries of the European Community. This regulation is binding on the whole Community and directly applicable to Luxembourg.

With regard to the implementation of Security Council resolution 1171 (1998), after the adoption by the European Council of a common position on 29 June 1998, the necessary steps have been taken at the national level to conform to the provisions of paragraph 2 of that resolution.

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